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① Secretary of State – then

② Secretary of Defense –

We need to keep up the real political situation in Vietnam.

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Content of Presidential Opinion

① Careful review Runs completed.

② No reason to change our policy –

– every reason to develop it further.

Elements of problem

① ~~Mili~~ Polit + Econ.

We have to win both kinds of wars going against Jack Company.

to try to figure out any way we can to get out of war in Viet Nam.

We hope to come to a decision to stop Communists.

– not to take over Hanoi + Peking

if they'd start down, we'd shut down.

We've done too little for 20 months.

We're not going to make war as hard – though –

we're going to do all that is possible

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(A) memo to President on political position. ① public ② private.

– and on attendance.

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